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A SIBERIAN WEDDING.—You will like to hear something of a Siberian marriage. The courtships are not long—a month is sometimes the extent of the acquaintance. This in some degree may be caused by the vast number of presents the bridegroom is going to make, he never approaching the house empty handed. One of the gifts must, of necessity, be a shawl, the value depending on his means. I once heard of a gentleman sending a courier express to England for one to his future bride. No sooner has a gentleman made his proposal to the parents of the young lady, and become her accepted suitor, than he is introduced to the whole of the relations of the family—servants as well; he is then looked upon as one of its members, and is henceforth permitted to make his calls without being in full uniform.

On the eve of the wedding the young lady assembles her companions, when they all join in singing a farewell to the maiden. The bridegroom sends them vast quantities of bonbons, and sometimes he sends a present to each of the young ladies; the bride also divides among them little trinkets which she has worn. Meanwhile the bridegroom gives a dinner to his bachelor friends, and takes his leave of them. The dowry, for a day or two before the ceremony, is spread out for the inspection of friends, who call to see it. The room in which the dresses are displayed looks like a magazine. The dresses are suspended on stands, and tables covered with jewelry, lace and linen, tied with pink and blue ribbon, &c. Before it is packed to take to the bride's own home, the priest comes to bless the articles and sprinkle all with holy water.

He is usually admonished to be careful of velvet dresses, &c.; this he appears to understand, and, if sufficiently rewarded, is most sparing of the consecrated water. I was told when such was not the case, he would spitefully throw a large quantity over the perishable articles. The bridegroom furnishes the house; but the bride provides the silver and linen, as likewise a dozen shirts, a dressing-gown and a pair of slippers for her future husband. I presume it is supposed that she, with her own hands, spins the flax, and then weaves it into cloth.

On the marriage day it is not permitted for the bride and bridegroom to meet till they do so at the church, the ceremony usually taking place about eight p. m. The young couple are also obliged to fast from the time of rising on the eventful day, until after their return from church, with the exception of a cup of tea without cream. As soon as the bridegroom and his party have entered the sacred edifice, the bridegroom drives off to announce the fact to the bride. The dress of the bride is usually very beautiful; it is full ball costume, and always pure white, with veil and orange blossoms. She is not allowed to do the slightest thing for herself; all her relations, and even the merest acquaintance, provided they are unmarried, are invited to assist in the dressing of the bride. The shoes, which are of white satin, are put on by the youngest brother, or if there is no brother, by the nearest relative; this is the femme de chambre. On one side of the church are relations and friends of the bridegroom, and on the opposite side of the bride; when the ceremony is concluded all return to the home of the bride's parents, and are met by music.

Then the father and mother come forward—not the real parents, but a couple chosen for the occasion, called Mere assise and Pere assis. The young couple kneel to them, and receive their benediction, being crossed three times each with the image of the Virgin and Child, which afterward is pressed to their lips; and then the crossing is repeated with the bread, in the centre of which is a silver salt cellar containing salt. This is repeated by both father and mother to each of the newly married. After this is over, they both rise, and kissing the hands of those who have blessed them, are conducted into an inner apartment and seated on a sofa, where they receive the congratulations of the guests; their health being drunk in champagne, which is often declared to be excessively bitter, and is rendered sweet by the bride and bridegroom embracing each other.

After drinking tea, the guests retire, and the young couple, if they have another home to go to, do so, the same, preceded by some of the married relations of the bride, whose duty it is to direct her of her bridal dress, and in its stead clothe her in a muslin capote lined with silk and a dainty little cap to correspond. Then equipped they sit taking tea, and chatting, far into the small hours of the night, the poor husband doing solitary duty by marching to and fro in another apartment, waiting patiently till the ladies choose to separate.—*Recollections of Turtur Steppes.*

HAIR DRESSING.—A Saratoga correspondent gives this chapter on hair, imparted to him by a lady friend:

"Every lady is crazy over the 'mode classique.' The Greeley corner caught it first, and yesterday afternoon Jenny Wood, the pretty hair-dresser here, had almost every lady in the house after her. What is wonderful, the high-hair mania has started with the dressed married ladies. The young ladies don't seem to know or care anything about it. In fact, the young ladies are leaving all the dressing here this time to stylish mothers. Nobody knows what to call the new style, but it's got to come. The 'Dolly Vardens' started here in Saratoga two years ago, and so did the 'Grecian Bend,' and now the new high-hair style is coming in vogue. It should not be called the 'mode classique,' but rather the 'mode renaissance,' for the ladies whose heads are dressed after it look as if they had just stepped from a cut cameo of 1600, or from a portrait painted in the 'renaissance' period."

THE BELLE OF NEWPORT.—A correspondent of a Boston paper, writing from Newport, says: "The belle of the season here is a Philadelphia lady, who has been a belle for over a half a century and whose hair is white. She is charming. She is never 'out of practice' when asked for music; she is ready to entertain any one, and she does it as few young ladies can do. 'I should be furiously jealous,' said Kate, last night after watching her hold court in the hotel parlor, 'were I her husband.' I do not believe when he led her to the altar than he did last night when he carried her up stairs from among an admiring crowd."

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The effect of this is, to place the bonds in the hands of shrewd capitalists—men who look to security above everything, and of this no greater evidence is necessary, than the case of the Illinois Central Railroad Company, by whose owners the State of Illinois has, in the course of a few years, not only been built up and populated, but has also been freed from debt, converting that State from a barren waste into one of the most flourishing States in the Union, and, at the same time, placing the securities of that Company among the most favorite on the Market of the World.

Many of the companies whose roads are now in course of construction, own land grants on a small scale, but there are about a dozen Companies holding lands to a very large extent, prominent among which are the St. Joseph and Denver City Railroad Company, to which association belong 1,700,000 acres of the finest lands in Kansas and Nebraska.

This road is located in Missouri, Nebraska and Kansas, the progress of the two former States, is too well known to require further allusion thereto.

Kansas, which is the nearest and most promising State beyond the Missouri border, is rapidly filling up with hardy agricultural settlers, and there is every indication, that it will possess one of the most fertile and populous populations in the Union. Many colonies, both from the East and Europe, are locating in the State, and thrifty and growing villages are springing up in every direction, the lands surrounding them being quickly purchased and occupied by Farmers and Stock-raisers. The climate of Kansas is mild and agreeable; the winters are short and snow seldom falls to any considerable depth; the soil is adapted to the cereals and all the fruits and vegetables of the Eastern States; hemp and sorghum are common crops, and cotton has been raised in South Kansas. Eastern Kansas presents a succession of rich prairies, fertile valleys, grass-covered hills with an abundance of yellow oak, black Walnut, elm, hickory, sycamore, basswood and oaks; timber, also, the best requisites of the finest grazing country. The more important mineral products are granite, gypsum and coal. The entire area is 57,000,000 acres, or enough to make eleven States of the size of Massachusetts.

From this, it is evident that the St. Joseph and Denver City Railroad Company has even a better prospect, than the Illinois Central R. R. Company ever had, as not only by its construction to the border of the West, but by its extension to the Pacific Ocean, but, by its cut-off line from St. Joseph to Fort Kearney, it secures, from the start, all the passenger and freight traffic that can move, furnishing thereby, irrespective of the Land Grant, an ample security to the bondholder. When it is added to the fact, that the other Land Grant Railroad Companies have sold their lands at all sorts of prices, from a maximum of \$14 per acre down to a minimum of \$1.18 per acre, it will be seen that, this Company should realize only \$4 per acre for their lands, without taking into any account the profits of their traffic, their 1,700,000 acres will produce at least \$1,500,000 above their mortgage, which is only \$5,500,000.

The road, which is being built substantially and thoroughly, will be completed, will at once form the most important link in the great railroad system of the United States. It will shorten the time and distance between San Francisco and the cities of the East, and is of special importance to the traveler from the Pacific Slope, who desires to reach St. Louis or any part of the country lying south or southwest of this rapidly-growing city. Immediately on its completion, it is destined to receive a large share of the business going East or West, beyond the Missouri River, and its managers have shown a wise foresight, in equipping the line with an abundance of rolling stock of all kinds, to meet the demand that is sure to arise.

The great advantages of this road have been appreciated by capitalists, is shown by the rapidity with which its bonds have been taken up. Only a limited amount of them remain unsold and are looked on, as an investment of the highest order. The money received from the sale of the bonds, and the prospect is, that long before they fall due, the sale of the lands will accumulate sufficient funds, to meet them without trenching in any way upon the business of the road.

The interests of the bondholder have been guarded in every shape and way. The bonds have thirty years to run from May, 1870, and are payable in gold in the City of New York. They bear interest at the rate of Eight per cent. free of tax, on the 15th days of Feb. and Aug., in New York, London, or Frankfurt-on-Main, at the option of the holder, without notice, and in the currency of the country in which the Coupons are presented. Although these are coupon bonds, they may be registered in the owner's name with the Coupons on, or they can be converted into a registered bond by the surrender of the Coupons, and the interest paid to the registered owner at any of the three points where the Coupons are payable. The management of this enterprise is in the hands of thorough practical men, and the Financial Agents are the well-known, experienced banking firm of Tanner & Co., 11 Wall Street, New York.

Altogether it is believed that no loan was ever offered in this market, which combines every element of security with such a high rate of interest, and it is certain that Capitalists do not often have the opportunity of placing their money, for so long a time, at a security, producing more than eight per cent. interest in gold.

These bonds are of the denomination of \$100, \$500 and \$1000, and are for sale at 97 1/2 and accrued interest, in currency.
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who confidently recommend them as a first-class security, and who have already placed a large number in the hands of some of our most prudent and sagacious citizens. aug 24-4f

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Special attention will be given to the prosecution of Bankrupt business under the recent amendment of the Bankrupt act, which allows the Bankrupt to retain about \$2500 worth of property.

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patronage, and invites all to call and ex-
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also have on hand some very beautiful inlaid
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interest in the OLD DOMINION WOOD and
COAL YARD, 26 King street, and respectfully
asks a continuance of patronage. Persons who
wish to lay in WOOD and COAL for winter's
use would do well to call on the north and
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The improvements consist of a BRICK DWEL-
LING HOUSE, with all the necessary out-
buildings, and an abundance of choice fruit or-
chard, all in a plenty of timber.

300 ACRES HEAVILY TIMBERED LAND
on Middle River Turnpike, 6 miles below